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AB A method for **stabilizing** intracellular proteins known to cause disease, said method comprising contacting a cell with **stabilizing** agents such as DMSO, sugars, amino acids and TMAO (trimethylamine N-oxide), wherein the proteins are **stabilized** and the disease state lessened.
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TITLE: Correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**
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PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Regents of the University of California, USA; Welch, William J.; Brown, C. Randell; Tatzelt, Jorg
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ST genetic disease **conformation** therapy **chaperone** chem
IT Brain, disease
Prion diseases
(Creutzfeldt-Jakob; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
IT Lipoprotein receptors

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- RL: ADV (Adverse effect, including toxicity); BPR (Biological process);
BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological
study); PROC (Process)
(LDL, **mutant**; correction of genetic defects using chemical
chaperones)
- IT Prion proteins
RL: ADV (Adverse effect, including toxicity); BPR (Biological process);
BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological
study); PROC (Process)
(PrPc, **mutant**; correction of genetic defects using chemical
chaperones)
- IT Prion proteins
RL: ADV (Adverse effect, including toxicity); BPR (Biological process);
BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological
study); PROC (Process)
(PrPSc, **mutant**; correction of genetic defects using chemical
chaperones)
- IT Gangliosidosis
(Tay-Sachs disease; correction of genetic defects using chemical
chaperones)
- IT Nervous system
(amyotrophic lateral sclerosis; correction of genetic defects using
chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Liver, disease
(chronic; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**
)
- IT Alzheimer's disease
Antitumor agents
Cataract
Emphysema
Marfan syndrome
Neoplasm
Scurvy
Stabilizing agents
(correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT **Chaperonins**
RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BPR (Biological
process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use);
BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process); USES (Uses)
(correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Amino acids, biological studies
Carbohydrates, biological studies
Polyoxyalkylenes, biological studies
RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BSU (Biological
study, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES
(Uses)
(correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Nervous system
(disease, Gerstmann-Straussler syndrome; correction of genetic defects
using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Hypercholesterolemia
(familial; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**
)
- IT Brain, disease
Prion diseases
(fatal familial insomnia; correction of genetic defects using chemical
chaperones)
- IT Insomnia
(fatal familial; correction of genetic defects using chemical

- chaperones)**
- IT Disease, animal
(genetic, protein **conformation** defects from; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Endocrine system
(leprechaunism; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Mental disorder
(maple syrup urine disease; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT CFTR (cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator)
Collagens, biological studies
Crystallins
Fibrillins
Insulin receptors
Prion proteins
Rhodopsins
p53 (protein)
RL: ADV (Adverse effect, including toxicity); BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
(**mutant**; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Bone, disease
(osteogenesis imperfecta; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Alcohols, biological studies
RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses)
(polyhydric; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Collagens, biological studies
RL: ADV (Adverse effect, including toxicity); BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
(procollagens, type I, pro- α , **mutant**; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT **Conformation**
(protein; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Eye, disease
(retinitis pigmentosa; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Brain, disease
Prion diseases
(scrapie; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Brain, disease
(spongiform encephalopathy; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Amyloid
RL: ADV (Adverse effect, including toxicity); BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
(β -; correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT Animal cell line
(AF508; correction of genetic defects using chemical

chaperones)

- IT 9067-96-3, α -Ketoacid dehydrogenase
 RL: ADV (Adverse effect, including toxicity); BPR (Biological process);
 BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological
 study); PROC (Process)
 (correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT 56-12-2, Gaba, biological studies 56-40-6, Glycine, biological studies
 56-41-7, Alanine, biological studies 56-81-5, Glycerol, biological
 studies 56-86-0, Glutamic acid, biological studies 67-68-5, Dmsol,
 biological studies 87-89-8, Inositol 99-20-7D, Trehalose,
 isofluorolol 107-35-7, Taurine 107-43-7, Betaine 107-97-1,
 Sarcosine 147-85-3, Proline, biological studies 149-32-6, Erythritol
 1184-78-7, Trimethylamine N-oxide 7789-20-0, Water-d2 25322-68-3,
 Polyethylene glycol 34522-32-2, Octopine
 RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BSU (Biological
 study, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES
 (Uses)
 (correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT 302-95-4, Sodium deoxycholate 9002-93-1, Triton x-100
 RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses)
 (correction of genetic defects using chemical **chaperones**)
- IT 9012-33-3 9041-92-3, α 1 Antitrypsin 9054-89-1, Superoxide
 dismutase
 RL: ADV (Adverse effect, including toxicity); BPR (Biological process);
 BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological
 study); PROC (Process)
 (mutant; correction of genetic defects using chemical
chaperones)

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AB Recently, we found that different low molecular weight compounds, all
 known to **stabilize** proteins in their native **conformation**
 , are effective in correcting the temperature-sensitive protein folding
 defect associated with the Δ F508 cystic fibrosis transmembrane
 regulator (CFTR) protein. Here we examined whether the folding of other
 proteins which exhibit temperature- sensitive folding defects also could
 be corrected via a similar strategy. Cell lines expressing
 temperature-sensitive **mutants** of the tumor suppressor protein
p53, the viral oncogene protein pp60(src), or a ubiquitin
 activating enzyme E1, were incubated at the nonpermissive temperature
 (39.5°C) in the presence of glycerol, trimethylamine N-oxide or
 deuterated water. In each case, the cells exhibited phenotypes similar to
 those observed when the cells were incubated at the permissive temperature
 (32.5°C), indicative that the particular protein folding defect had
 been corrected. These observations, coupled with our earlier work and much
 older studies in yeast and bacteria, indicate that protein
stabilizing agents are effective in vivo for correcting protein
 folding abnormalities. We suggest that this type of approach may prove to
 be useful for correcting certain protein folding abnormalities associated
 with human diseases.

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CT Medical Descriptors:

*protein folding

***temperature sensitive mutant**

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cell line

cell structure

gene expression

immunoblotting

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chaperone: EC, endogenous compound

protein kinase p60: EC, endogenous compound

protein p53: EC, endogenous compound

ubiquitin protein ligase: EC, endogenous compound

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AB We disclose a method of **stabilizing** the native state of a polypeptide, the method comprising exposing the polypeptide to a **stabilizing** mol. capable of binding to the polypeptide at a site which at least partially overlaps a functional site in its native state. The authors describe the isolation and identification of a **stabilizing** peptide CDB3, which is capable of binding the tumor suppressor protein **p53** near its DNA binding site, and **stabilizing** the native form of the protein. Since the binding of DNA itself **stabilizes** **p53** core domain, and it binds very tightly, **stabilization** by a peptide such as CDB3 is needed only for **mutants** where DNA binding is impaired because **mutant p53** is in denatured **conformation**. Once the protein has bound DNA, the peptide is not needed any more. The ability of CDB3 to induce refolding of **p53** core domain, together with the observation that DNA can displace it from **p53**, led the authors to propose the a "**chaperone**" mechanism for rescuing a denatured oncogenic protein: CDB3 binds only the native state of the oncogenic protein which is able to bind DNA, probably immediately on biosynthesis, and therefore shifts the equilibrium towards the native state. Then DNA can bind the protein, displacing the peptide, which is free again to bind another protein mol. Exemplary design of potential **P53** core domain binding peptides, screening of the CDB peptides for binding **p53** core domain, identification of the **P53** core domain binding peptide CDB3, characterization of CDB3-**P53** core domain binding and binding of fluorescein-labeled CDB3 are reported. **Stabilizing** mols. and/or compns. of the invention can be used in the treatment of any animal or human disease where errors in protein **conformation**, folding and aggregation contribute to the disease. Examples include cancer, cystic fibrosis and neuro-degeneration. In a particularly preferred embodiment, the disease is cancer.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:166255

TITLE: **Stabilization** of the native **conformation** of a **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomolecules and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases

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TI **Stabilization** of the native **conformation** of a **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomolecules and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases

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ST tumor suppressor protein **p53** mutation **conformation** CDB3 peptide anticancer; protein **conformation** mutation

- stabilization** biomol human disease treatment
- IT Enzyme functional sites
 - (active, **stabilizing** biomol. binding to;
 - stabilization** of native **conformation** of human
 - mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other
 - mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and
 - application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Fluorescence
 - (anisotropy, biomol. binding detection using; **stabilization**
 - of native **conformation** of human **mutant** tumor
 - suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins
 - using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of
 - diseases)
- IT Differential scanning calorimetry
 - NMR **spectroscopy**
 - Surface plasmon resonance
 - (biomol. binding detection using; **stabilization** of native
 - conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein
 - p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and
 - other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other
 - diseases)
- IT Chromophores
 - Fluorescent substances
 - (biomol. derivatized with; **stabilization** of native
 - conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein
 - p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and
 - other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other
 - diseases)
- IT Amides, biological studies
 - Amines, biological studies
 - Phosphates, biological studies
 - Sulfates, biological studies
 - Sulfides, biological studies
 - RL: BUU (Biological use, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL
 - (Biological study); USES (Uses)
 - (biomol. derivatized with; **stabilization** of native
 - conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein
 - p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and
 - other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other
 - diseases)
- IT Molecular association
 - (biomol.-protein native state; **stabilization** of native
 - conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein
 - p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and
 - other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other
 - diseases)
- IT NMR **spectroscopy**
 - (heteronuclear double resonance, biomol. binding detection using;
 - stabilization** of native **conformation** of human
 - mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other
 - mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and
 - application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Protein folding
 - (induction of refolding; **stabilization** of native
 - conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein
 - p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and
 - other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other
 - diseases)
- IT Apoptosis

- (induction of; **stabilization** of native **conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Carbohydrates, biological studies
 DNA
 Glycoproteins
 Nucleic acids
 Oligonucleotides
 Peptide nucleic acids
 Peptides, biological studies
 RNA
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses)
 (mutant proteins **stabilization** by;
stabilization of native **conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Proteins
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses)
 --(oncogenic, **stabilization** of; **stabilization** of native **conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Dissociation constant
 (p53-CDB3; **stabilization** of native **conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Disease, animal
 (protein **conformation** error-related; **stabilization** of native **conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT **Conformation**
 (protein, **stabilization** of; **stabilization** of native **conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Denaturation
 (protein; **stabilization** of native **conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Antitumor agents
 Biochemical molecules
 Drug screening
 Human
 Mutation
 Neoplasm
 Protein engineering
 (**stabilization** of native **conformation** of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other

- mutant proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT **p53** (protein)
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses)
 (stabilization of native conformation of human mutant tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other mutant proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Proteins
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BUU (Biological use, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses)
 (stabilization of; stabilization of native conformation of human mutant tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other mutant proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Proteins
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses)
 (tumor suppressor, stabilization of; stabilization of native conformation of human mutant tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other mutant proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT Phenotypes
 (wild-type, restoring of; stabilization of native conformation of human mutant tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other mutant proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT 497259-83-3P
 RL: BPN (Biosynthetic preparation); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); PREP (Preparation); USES (Uses)
 (CDB3; stabilization of native conformation of human mutant tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other mutant proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT 56-45-1, L-Serine, biological studies
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)
 (G245S and R249S **p53** mutations; stabilization of native conformation of human mutant tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other mutant proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT 72-19-5, L-Threonine, biological studies
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)
 (I195T **p53** mutation; stabilization of native conformation of human mutant tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other mutant proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)
- IT 71-00-1, L-Histidine, biological studies
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)
 (R175H and R273H **p53** mutations; stabilization of native conformation of human mutant tumor suppressor protein **p53** and other mutant proteins using CDB3 peptide and other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other diseases)

- cancer and other diseases)
- IT 56-85-9, L-Glutamine, biological studies
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)
 (R248Q **p53** mutation; **stabilization** of native
conformation of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein
p53 and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and
 other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other
 diseases)
- IT 73-22-3, L-Tryptophan, biological studies
 RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)
 (R282W **p53** mutation; **stabilization** of native
conformation of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein
p53 and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and
 other biomols. and application to treatment of cancer and other
 diseases)
- IT 58-85-5, Biotin 2321-07-5, Fluorescein
 RL: BUU (Biological use, unclassified); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL
 (Biological study); USES (Uses)
 (biomol. derivatized with; **stabilization** of native
conformation of human **mutant** tumor suppressor protein
p53 and other **mutant** proteins using CDB3 peptide and
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- IT 497259-83-3DP, fluorescein labeled
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 TITLE: A peptide that binds and **stabilizes p53**
 core domain: **Chaperone** strategy for rescue of
 oncogenic **mutants**.
 AUTHOR: Friedler A.; Hansson L.O.; Veprintsev D.B.; Freund S.M.V.;

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*chaperone: DV, drug development
*chaperone: PD, pharmacology
*protein cdb3: DV, drug development
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CORPORATE SOURCE: Cambridge Centre for Protein Engineering, Cambridge University and Medical Research Council, MRC Centre, Hills Road, Cambridge CB2 2QH, United Kingdom.

SOURCE: Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, (2002 Aug 20) 99 (17) 11085-90. Journal code: 7505876. ISSN: 0027-8424.

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Heat-Shock Proteins 90: ME, metabolism
 Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy: MT, methods
Models, Molecular
 Protein Conformation
Protein Denaturation
Protein Folding
 *Protein p53: CH, chemistry
 Protein p53: ME, metabolism
Recombinant Proteins: CH, chemistry
Recombinant Proteins: ME, metabolism
Spectrometry, Fluorescence
Thermodynamics

CN 0 (Heat-Shock Proteins 90); 0 (Protein p53); 0 (Recombinant Proteins)

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L4 657 S (CONFORMATION? OR STABILI?) AND CHAPERON? AND SPECTROSCOP?
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:319533 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 129:51404

TITLE: NarJ is a specific **chaperone** required for molybdenum cofactor assembly in nitrate reductase A of Escherichia coli

AUTHOR(S): Blasco, Francis; Dos Santos, Jean-Philippe; Magalon, Axel; Frixon, Chantal; Guigliarelli, Bruno; Santini, Claire-Lise; Giordano, Gerard

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- ST NarJ **chaperone** molybdenum cofactor nitrate reductase;
Escherichia NarJ molybdenum cofactor nitrate reductase
- IT *Escherichia coli*
(NarJ subunit is a specific **chaperone** that binds to NarG subunit and is required for molybdenum cofactor assembly in nitrate reductase A of *Escherichia coli*)
- IT 9013-03-0, Nitrate reductase
RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological study)
(A; NarJ subunit is a specific **chaperone** that binds to NarG subunit and is required for molybdenum cofactor assembly in nitrate reductase A of *Escherichia coli*)
- IT 73508-07-3, Molybdoenzyme molybdenum cofactor
RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:264678 HCAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 129:64449
 TITLE: NMR **spectroscopy** of α -crystallin.
 Insights into the structure, interactions and
chaperone action of small heat-shock proteins
 AUTHOR(S): Carver, John A.; Lindner, Robyn A.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Chemistry, The University of Wollongong,
 Wollongong, 2522, Australia
 SOURCE: International Journal of Biological Macromolecules (
 1998), 22(3,4), 197-209
 CODEN: IJBMDR; ISSN: 0141-8130
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- ST NMR **spectroscopy** alpha crystallin structure sHSP;
chaperone heat shock protein interaction crystallin; quaternary structure model alpha crystallin **conformation**
- IT Crystal structure
Hydrophobicity
Molecular modeling
NMR (nuclear magnetic resonance)
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- IT **Chaperonins**
RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
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ACCESSION NUMBER:	1997:689123 HCAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER:	128:1285
TITLE:	Expression and characterization of two pathogenic mutations in human electron transfer flavoprotein
AUTHOR(S):	Salazar, Denise; Zhang, Lening; Degala, Gregory D.; Frerman, Frank E.
CORPORATE SOURCE:	Program in Cellular and Developmental Biology and the Department of Pediatrics, University of Colorado School of Medicine, Denver, CO, 80262, USA
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(protein; expression and characterization of two pathogenic mutations in human electron transfer flavoprotein)

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:716584 HCAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 126:28206
 TITLE: Immobilization of the C-terminal extension of bovine α A-crystallin reduces **chaperone**-like activity
 AUTHOR(S): Smulders, Ronald H. P. H.; Carver, John A.; Lindner, Robyn A.; van Boeckel, Martinus A. M.; Bloemendal, Hans; de Jong, Wilfried W.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Biochem., Univ Nijmegen, Nijmegen, 6500 HB, Neth.
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 SO Journal of Biological Chemistry (1996), 271(46), 29060-29066
 CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258
 AB α -Crystallins occur as multimeric complexes, which are able to suppress precipitation of unfolding proteins. Although the mechanism of this **chaperone**-like activity is unknown, the affinity of α -crystallin for aggregation-prone proteins is probably based on hydrophobic interactions. α -Crystallins expose a considerable hydrophobic surface to solution, but nevertheless they are very stable and highly soluble. An explanation for this paradox may be that α -crystallin subunits have a polar and unstructured C-terminal extension that functions as a sort of solubilizer. In this paper we have described five α A-crystallins in which charged and hydrophobic residues were inserted in the C-terminal extension. Introduction of lysine, arginine, and aspartate does not substantially influence **chaperone**-like activity. In contrast, introduction of a hydrophobic tryptophan greatly diminishes functional activity. CD expts. indicate that this **mutant** has a normal secondary structure and fluorescence measurements show that the inserted tryptophan is located in polar environment. However, NMR **spectroscopy** clearly demonstrates that the presence of the tryptophan residue dramatically

reduces the flexibility of the C-terminal extension. Furthermore, the introduction of this tryptophan results in a considerably decreased thermostability of the protein. We conclude that changing the polarity of the C-terminal extension of α A-crystallin by insertion of a highly hydrophobic residue can seriously disturb structural and functional integrity.

ST crystallin structure **chaperone** function **conformation**

IT **Conformation**

(immobilization of C-terminal extension of bovine α A-crystallin reduces **chaperone**-like activity)

IT **Chaperonins**

RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PEP (Physical, engineering or chemical process); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)

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IT 73-22-3, Tryptophan, biological studies

RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)

(immobilization of C-terminal extension of bovine α A-crystallin reduces **chaperone**-like activity)

IT 9004-10-8, Insulin, biological studies

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L8 ANSWER 5 OF 14 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:335953

TITLE: **Conformational** properties of substrate proteins bound to a molecular **chaperone**

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 ST crystallin **chaperone** protein **conformation**
 IT **Conformation** and Conformers
 (conformational properties of substrate proteins bound to
 mol. **chaperone** α -crystallin)
 IT Proteins, biological studies
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP
 (Properties); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
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 mol. **chaperone** α -crystallin)
 IT Crystallins
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL
 (Biological study); PROC (Process)
 (α A-, **conformational** properties of substrate proteins
 bound to mol. **chaperone** α -crystallin)
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 RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP
 (Properties); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
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 bound to mol. **chaperone** α -crystallin)
 IT Crystallins
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP
 (Properties); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
 (γ -, **conformational** properties of substrate proteins
 bound to mol. **chaperone** α -crystallin)

IT 9026-04-4, Rhodanese

RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)

(**conformational** properties of substrate proteins bound to mol. **chaperone** α -crystallin)

L8 ANSWER 6 OF 14 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN

AB A review, with .apprx.103 refs. The molten globule state of α -lactalbumin is the best-characterized folding intermediate of globular proteins and has been studied intensively by various **spectroscopic** and physicochem. techniques, including stopped-flow CD and fluorescence **spectroscopies**, a hydrogen-exchange technique, 1H-NMR **spectroscopy**, disulfide-exchange chemical, site-directed mutagenesis, and calorimetric techniques. This review summarizes recent studies. Major findings about the structure of the molten globule state are: (1) it is highly heterogeneous, having a highly structured α -helical domain with the β -sheet domain being significantly unfolded; and (2) it is not a nonspecific, collapsed polypeptide but already has a native-like tertiary fold. These structural characteristics are essential to fully understand the thermodyn. properties of the molten globule state, which are described in connection with a recently proposed computational approach to predict the structure of the molten globule state of a protein. **Mutant** proteins in which the **stability** of the molten globule state was changed were constructed. Studies of the equilibrium unfolding and kinetic refolding of the **mutant** proteins will provide further insight into the molten globule state as a folding intermediate. In spite of an initial expectation that the structure recognized by an Escherichia coli **chaperone**, GroEL, is the molten globule, the interaction of GroEL with α -lactalbumin in the molten globule state is much weaker than the interaction with more unfolded states of α -lactalbumin, a disulfide-reduced form, and disulfide rearranged species.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:78612 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:109868

TITLE: The molten globule state of α -lactalbumin

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CORPORATE SOURCE: Sch. Sci., Univ. Tokyo, Tokyo, 113, Japan

SOURCE: FASEB Journal (1996), 10(1), 102-9

CODEN: FAJOEC; ISSN: 0892-6638

PUBLISHER: Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

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ST review lactalbumin **conformation** molten globule

IT **Conformation** and Conformers

(molten globule; molten globule state of α -lactalbumin)

L8 ANSWER 7 OF 14 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN

AB Temperature-sensitive folding (tsf) **mutants** of the phage P22 coat protein prevent newly synthesized polypeptide chains from reaching the **conformation** competent for capsid assembly in cells and can be rescued by the GroEL **chaperone**. Here, the **stabilities** of **wild-type** and 4 tsf **mutant** unpolymd. subunits were investigated. **Wild-type** coat protein subunits denatured at 40°C with a calorimetric enthalpy of .apprx.600 kJ/mol. Comparison with coat protein denaturation within the shell lattice ($T_m = 87^\circ$, ΔH .apprx. 1700 kJ/mol) indicates that protein-protein interactions within the capsid provide enormous **stabilization**. The melting temps. of the subunits carrying tsf substitutions were similar to **wild-type**. At low temps., the tsf **mutants**, but not the **wild-type**, formed non-covalent dimers, which were dissociated at temps. $>30^\circ$. **Spectroscopic** and calorimetric studies indicated that the **mutant** proteins have reduced amts. of ordered structure at low temperature, as compared to the **wild-type** protein. Although complex, the in vitro phenotypes are consistent with the in vivo finding that the **mutants** are defective in folding, rather than subunit **stability**. These results suggest a role for incompletely folded subunits as precursors in viral capsid assembly, providing a mechanism of reaching multiple **conformations** in the polymerized form.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:697734 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 123:79168

TITLE: **Stability of wild-type**

and temperature-sensitive protein subunits of the phage P22 capsid

AUTHOR(S): Galisteo, Maria L.; Gordon, Carl L.; King, Jonathan

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SOURCE: Journal of Biological Chemistry (1995),

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ST protein **stability** phage P22 capsid

IT Virus, bacterial

(P22, **stability** of **wild-type** and

temperature-sensitive protein subunits of the phage P22 capsid)

IT Proteins, specific or class

RL: PRP (Properties)

(capsid, **stability** of **wild-type** and

temperature-sensitive protein subunits of the phage P22 capsid)

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:100398 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 120:100398

TITLE: Refolding of barnase **mutants** and pro-barnase in the presence and absence of GroEL

AUTHOR(S): Gray, Tamara E.; Eder, Joerg; Bycroft, Mark; Day, Anthony G.; Fersht, Alan R.

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- ST **chaperone** GroEL barnase probarnase refolding; propeptide
chaperone GroEL interaction barnase refolding
- IT **Conformation** and Conformers
(of barnase and probarnase, refolding of, GroEL protein effect on)
- IT Proteins, specific or class
RL: BIOL (Biological study)
(**chaperonins** 60, refolding of barnase and probarnase in presence on)
- IT **Conformation** and Conformers
(random-coil, of barnase propeptide)
- IT 9026-12-4, Barnase
RL: BIOL (Biological study)
(refolding of **mutant** and native forms of, GroEL protein effect on)
- L8 ANSWER 9 OF 14 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2004 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC. on STN
- AB The expression of the melanin operon (melC) of Streptomyces antibioticus requires the **chaperone**-like protein MelC1 for the incorporation of two copper ions (designated as CuA and CuB) and the secretion of the apotyrosinase (MelC2) via a transient binary complex formation between these two proteins. To investigate whether the copper ligand of tyrosinase is involved in this MelC1ntdotMelC2 binary complex function, six single substitution mutations were introduced into the CuA and CuB sites. These mutations led to differential effects on the **stability**, copper content, and export function of binary complexes but a complete abolishment of tyrosinase activity. The defects in the tyrosinase activity in **mutants** were not because of the impairment of the formation of MelC1ntdotMelC2 complex but rather the failure of MelC2 to be discharged from the copper-activated binary complex. Moreover, the impairments on the discharge of the **mutant** MelC2 from all the **mutant** binary complexes appeared to result from the structural changes in their apoforms or copper-activated forms of the complexes, as evidenced by the fluorescence emission and circular dichroism spectral analysis. Therefore, each of six copper ligands in Streptomyces tyrosinase binuclear copper sites plays a pivotal role in the final maturation and the discharge of tyrosinase from the binary complex

but has a less significant role in its secretion.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:390187 BIOSIS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199800390187

TITLE: Roles of copper ligands in the activation and secretion of *Streptomyces tyrosinase*.

AUTHOR(S): Tsai, Tzung-Yuan; Lee, Yan-Hwa Wu [Reprint author]

CORPORATE SOURCE: Inst. Biochemistry, National Yang-Ming Univ., Taipei 112, Taiwan

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IT Methods & Equipment

circular dichroism spectral analysis: analytical method,

spectroscopic techniques: CT; fluorescence emission

spectroscopy: analytical method, **spectroscopic**

techniques: CB; immunoaffinity chromatography: affinity chromatography,

analytical method; immunoblot analysis: Analysis/Characterization

Techniques: CB, analytical method; AVIV 60DS spectropolarimeter: AVIV Associates, . . .

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AB DnaJ is a molecular **chaperone**, which not only binds to its various protein substrates, but can also activate the DnaK co-**chaperone** to bind to its various protein substrates as well. DnaJ is a modular protein, which contains a putative zinc finger motif of unknown function. Quantitation of the released Zn(II) ions, upon challenge with p-hydroxymercuriphenylsulfonic acid, and by atomic absorption showed that two Zn(II) ions interact with each monomer of DnaJ. Following the release of Zn(II) ions, the free cysteine residues probably form disulfide bridge(s), which contribute to overcoming the destabilizing effect of losing Zn(II). Supporting this view, infrared and circular dichroism studies show that the DnaJ secondary structure is largely unaffected by the release of Zn(II). Moreover, infrared spectra recorded at different temperatures, as well as scanning calorimetry, show that the Zn(H) ions help to **stabilize** DnaJ's tertiary structure. An internal 57-amino acid deletion of the cysteine-rich region did not noticeably affect the affinity of this **mutant** protein, DnaJ-DELTA-144-200, to bind DnaK nor its ability to stimulate DnaK's

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:327422 BIOSIS
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TITLE: Structure-function analysis of the zinc finger region of the DnaJ molecular **chaperone**.
AUTHOR(S): Banecki, Bogdan; Liberek, Krzysztof; Wall, Daniel; Wawrzynow, Alicja; Georgopoulos, Costa; Bertoli, Enrico; Tanfani, Fabio; Zylicz, Maciej [Reprint author]
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ANALYTICAL METHOD; BIOCHEMISTRY AND MOLECULAR BIOPHYSICS; CIRCULAR DICHROISM; DNAJ; IR **SPECTROSCOPY**; MOLECULAR **CHAPERONE**; P-HYDROXYPHENYLMERCURIC ACID; SIGMA FACTOR-32; STRUCTURE-FUNCTION ANALYSIS; TRANSCRIPTION FACTOR; TRANSCRIPTION FACTOR INTERACTION; ZINC FINGER REGION; ZINC ION
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on STN
AB Methanol dehydrogenase (MDH) from Methylobacterium extorquens, Methylophilus methylotrophus. Paracoccus denitrificans and Hyphomicrobium X all contained a single atom of Ca²⁺ per $\alpha_2\beta_2$ tetramer. The

role of Ca^{2+} was investigated using the MDH from *Methylobacterium extorquens*. This was shown to be similar to the MDH from *Hyphomicrobium X* in having 2 mol of prosthetic group (pyrroloquinoline quinine; PQQ) per mol of tetramer, the PQQ being predominantly in the semiquinone form. MDH isolated from the methanol oxidation **mutants** MoxA-, K- and L- contained no Ca^{2+} . They were identical with the enzyme isolated from **wild-type** bacteria with respect to molecular size, subunit configuration, pI, N-terminal amino acid sequence and **stability** under denaturing conditions (low pH, high urea and high guanidinium chloride) and in the nature and content of the prosthetic group (2 mol of PQQ per mol of MDH). They differed in their lack of Ca^{2+} , the oxidation state of the extracted PQQ (fully oxidized), absence of the semiquinone form of PQQ in the enzyme, reactivity with the suicide inhibitor cyclopropanol and absorption spectrum, which indicated that PQQ is bound differently from that in normal MDH. Incubation of MDH from the **mutants** in calcium salts led to irreversible time-dependent reconstitution of full activity concomitant with restoration of a spectrum corresponding to that of fully reduced normal MDH. It is concluded that Ca^{2+} in MDH is directly or indirectly involved in binding PQQ in the active site. The MoxA-, K- and L- proteins may be involved in maintaining a high Ca^{2+} concentration in the periplasm. It is more likely, however, that they fill a '**chaperone**' function, **stabilizing** a configuration of MDH which permits incorporation of low concentrations of Ca^{2+} into the protein.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 92336416 EMBASE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 1992336416

TITLE: Characterization of **mutant** forms of the quinoprotein methanol dehydrogenase lacking an essential calcium ion.

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CT Medical Descriptors:

***bacterium mutant**
 *enzyme structure
absorption spectroscopy
 amino acid sequence
 amino terminal sequence
 article
 controlled study
 enzyme active site
 enzyme analysis
 enzyme reconstitution
enzyme stability
 enzyme subunit
 methylobacterium
 molecular size
 nonhuman
 oxidation
 priority journal
 *calcium ion
 *oxidoreductase: EC, endogenous compound
 enzyme inhibitor
 guanidine hydrochloride
 methanol
 methanol dehydrogenase: EC, endogenous compound
 pyrroloquinolinequinone: EC, endogenous compound
 urea
 unclassified drug

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 9100024

TITLE: The sulfhydryl groups of Cys 269 and Cys 272 are critical for the oligomeric state of chloroplast carbonic anhydrase

from *Pisum sativum*.
 AUTHOR: Bjorkbacka H; Johansson I M; Skarfstad E; Forsman C
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Ethoxzolamide: ME, metabolism
 Ethoxzolamide: PD, pharmacology
 Gene Expression
 Kinetics
 Molecular Weight
 Mutagenesis, Site-Directed
 *Peas: EN, enzymology
 Phosphines: PD, pharmacology
 *Protein Conformation
 Protein Structure, Secondary
 Protein Structure, Tertiary
 Spectrometry, Fluorescence

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Aldehyde Reductase: ME, metabolism

Amino Acid Sequence

Base Sequence

Chaperonins: ME, metabolism

Circular Dichroism

Cloning, Molecular

Crystallins: CH, chemistry

*Crystallins: GE, genetics

Gene Expression Regulation

Molecular Sequence Data

Protein Conformation

CN 0 (**Chaperonins**); 0 (Crystallins); EC 1.1.1.21 (Aldehyde Reductase)

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DNA, Bacterial

Escherichia coli

GroEL Protein

GroES Protein

*Heat-Shock Proteins: CH, chemistry

Heat-Shock Proteins: GE, genetics

Heat-Shock Proteins: ME, metabolism

Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy

Molecular Sequence Data

Mutation

Peptide Fragments: CS, chemical synthesis

Peptide Fragments: CH, chemistry

Protein Binding

Protein Conformation

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